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Attached to the Office Action mailed December 6, 2005 is an Examiner-initialed copy of the PTO-1449 Form submitted with Applicants' IDS dated September 23, 2003. However, an Examiner-initialed copy of the PTO-1449 Form submitted with Applicants' IDS dated March 9, 2004 is not enclosed. Attached hereto is a copy of the PTO-1449 Form dated March 9, 2004.

The Examiner is kindly requested to return an Examiner-initialed copy of the form with the next correspondence, thus indicating that the Examiner has considered the reference cited therein.

Respectfully submitted,

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